



Weekly Log



DAKOTA COLLEGE
AT BOTTINEAU

February 2, 2026

THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

MONDAY, FEB 2

- Basketball at WSC
Women's at 5:30 pm
Men's at 7:30 pm

TUESDAY, FEB 3

WEDNESDAY, FEB 4

- KBTO Live Break, 8:30am, Tina Webb, Giving Hearts Day
- Timesheet Verification Deadline, 10:00 am
- Basketball vs LRSC
Women's at 5:30 pm
Men's at 7:30 pm

CHUCK A DUCK AT GAMES

THURSDAY, FEB 5

- Basketball vs Dawson, Women 5:30 pm Men 7:30 pm

FRIDAY, FEB 6

- KKWZ & KZZJ Dakota College Weekly, 8:30am, Tina Webb, Giving Hearts Day

SATURDAY, FEB 7

- Women's Hockey at St. Thomas at 12:30 pm

SUNDAY, FEB 8

- Women's Hockey at St. Thomas at 11:00 am



LOGGER
APPLAUSE

Contact Sandy Hageness if you have a shout-out to share.
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FEBRUARY IS CTE MONTH

We celebrate February as Career and Technical Education (CTE) Month to showcase the success in our career clusters. Known for CTE programs, we provide students with the technical skills, knowledge, and attitudes necessary for successful performance in a globally competitive workplace. CTE month celebrates programs across North Dakota that gain the academic, technical, and employability skills necessary for career readiness.



Michelle Cauley, Natural Resource Instructor, declares it her pleasure to teach CTE courses for Dakota College at Bottineau, "CTE means the world to me, as career and tech education in our state of ND and in our country, these are the foundational jobs that really keep our state and our country moving forward. These are those hands-on, in-the-field kinds of jobs that I have the pleasure of getting to work with students in exploring their dreams and their careers in CTE fields."

Comprised of eight program areas, CTE is developed to prepare students to meet the expectations of

employers. Each program contains career clusters offering several pathways, valuable skills, and real-world experience. The career clusters serve as an organizational model grouping occupations with similar traits. Essential skills and knowledge for each cluster identify and provide the foundation for CTE curriculum development and instruction.

Dakota College at Bottineau offers programs within these career clusters.

- [Agriculture / Horticulture](#)
- Business
- Computer Technology
- Education & Human Services
- Health Professions to include Nursing, Dental, Paramedic Technology
- Natural Resources
- Photography
- Technical Studies

Bottineau is not the only community DCB serves, providing programming also in Minot and Valley City.

Students who successfully complete a CTE program can enter

the workforce in one or two years after earning a certificate or technical degree. The CTE programs of study may provide opportunities to earn industry-recognized credentials. In addition, some CTE-bound students decide to further their education by transferring to a four-year university.

There is a level of academic content and skill that is required for success in today's career and technical fields. CTE provides comprehensive opportunities for students to develop the skills they need to succeed in the 21st-century economy.



Harlie Huschka, Freshman enrolled in the Horticulture program, is more than satisfied with her choice in DCB. "When it came time to choose a college, I wanted a place where I felt seen, supported, and truly valued. That's exactly what I found at DCB. I have had opportunities I have never dreamed of. Choosing DCB was not just choosing a college; it was choosing a future I am genuinely excited about".

YOUR FINANCIAL REWARDS

Your 2025 Total Rewards Statements are now available to view by logging into Human Resources, link available on our Faculty and Staff page.

Employee Self Service> Total Rewards



The Total Rewards Statement shows your full value of compensation including both DCB's and your contributions to benefits.

Only one statement is created for regular benefited employees. Statements are not created for temporary employees.

OTHER VIEWING TIPS

View your statements on this site by clicking on Payroll> Paychecks



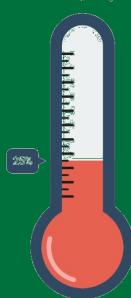
View your W-2 Forms by clicking on Payroll> W-2/W-2c Forms which are now available for 2025 tax year.

The Payroll page is also a place to update your Direct Deposit account and Tax Withholding.

Below is a list of events for DCB events. Please provide me with updates. sandy.hageness@dakotocollege.edu

FEBRUARY	
Feb 10	Book Read
Feb 10	Campus Conversations
Feb 12	Giving Hearts Day
Feb 13	SNO Bake Sale—Student Center
Feb 15-21	Smokey's—Jack Nation Days
Feb 16	President's Day Campus Closed
Feb 17	Professional Development Day
Feb 17	Spelling Bee
Feb 18-19	Blood Drive, Minot
Feb 24	Bottineau Community Rockhounds
Feb 25	Future Fest
MARCH	
March 1	Dental Hygiene Applications Due
March 1	Nursing Apps Due
March 9	Logrollers Meeting
March 10	Alumni Meeting
March 10	Book Read
March 15	Dental Assisting Applications Due
March 24	Bottineau Community Rockhounds 6pm-7pm
March 28-29	Hoopsters
TBD	PTK Recognition, BSC
APRIL	
April 1	Paramedic Apps Due
April 9	NE Regional Science Olympiad
April 9	Foundation Meeting
April 13	Logrollers
April 14	Book Read
April 17	Vitalant Blood Bus, Bottineau Campus
April 17	Earth Day Community Celebration
April 22-23	Water Festival
April 30	Employee Appreciation Lunch
April 31	Bottineau Community Rockhounds
MAY	
May 4	Chamber Scholastic Awards
May 11	Logrollers Meeting
May 12	Book Read
May 12	Alumni Meeting
May 15	Caps & Apps – LEAP Grads
May 15	Graduation
May 26	Bottineau Community Rockhounds

GOAL: \$20,000



Giving Hearts Day is coming up on February 12th and we are up and running for early giving. Donations can be made on our website or in the Foundation office. We are happy to report that we are 25% of the way to our \$20,000 DCB Student Scholarship goal and are excited to see the thermometer go up to our goal by next Thursday!

Thank you to the following employees for already accepting the DCB Giving Hearts Day Challenge: Tara DeCrans, Sandy Hageness, Corey Gorder, Janeen Pollman, JaLee Lynnes, Erika Hamilton, Linda Burbidge, Diedre Pugh, Kayla O'Toole, Keri Keith, and Chris Nero! We extend a thank you in advance to the others waiting until the February 12th Giving Hearts Day!

Your support will change lives....THANK YOU! Tina Webb, Foundation Director



Donate Your Blood

Donate Blood, Be the Reason Someone Lives.

February 18, 2026 1PM- 4PM
February 19, 2026 12:25-4:45PM
101 3rd Ave SW- Parking Lot
Minot, ND

[Register Now](#)



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Continuing Smokey's Legacy, join us in events and activities celebrating our local community and Lumberjack spirit!

SUNDAY
FEB. 15

Lumberjack Basketball
vs. Miles Community College
1:00 pm Women 3:00 pm Men

Wear
**DCB GREEN/
DCB GEAR!**

FEB. 15–21, 2026



MONDAY
FEB. 16

President's Day – No Classes
10:00 am – 5:00 pm Free tubing for DCB students at Bottineau Winter Park, with student ID.
5:00 – 6:30 pm Dining Center: Lumberjack Dinner
Stew, baked beans, hot rolls, fried potatoes, pulled pork, cookies

TUESDAY
FEB. 17

Professional Development Day – No Classes
5:00 – 7:00 pm Dining Center: Everything But the Kitchen Sink – Variety of hotdishes

WEDNESDAY
FEB. 18

Lumberjack Basketball vs. NDSCS
5:30 pm Women 7:30 pm Men
Minute to Win it Games – games TBA
5:00 – 7:00 pm Dining Center: Social Hour
Variety of hors d'oeuvre

Wear your
favorite
FLANNEL!



THURSDAY
FEB. 19

12:30 pm Axel's Court – Coronation, Woodshed Gymnasium
5:00 – 7:00 pm Dining Center: Formal Coronation Dinner
10:00 pm – 1:00 am Thrift Store Social – Student Center

FRIDAY
FEB. 20

5:00 – 7:00 pm Dining Center: Pot Roast Dinner

SATURDAY
FEB. 21

1:00 pm Lumberjacks Women's Hockey
vs. University of Jamestown

Wear your
favorite **JERSEY!**

Bookstore Specials & Games • Lil Smokies All Week On Campus
Window Decorating • Axel's Coloring Contest

FORGED IN THE NORTH

www.dakotacollege.edu/jacknationdays